The President lays before the Senate II. B. 1516, S. B. 1437, bill to be entitled "A Revenue and Machinery Act," upon second reading.

The bill passes second reading, ayes 31, noes none, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative are: Senators Aaron, Alexander, Arendell, Boddie, Bragaw, Burton, Crisp, Duls, Eller, Empie, Foushee, Gilliam, Jones, Long of Iredell, Long of Person, Mason of Gaston, Mason of Northampton, McCulloch, McLean, Odell, Pearson, Scales, Stringfield, Stubbs, Thorne, Toms, Turner, Vann, Ward, Watkins, Wright—31.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House of Representatives refuses to concur in the Senate amendment to H. B. 580, S. B. 449, bill to provide for allotting homesteads in lands held in common, and to H. B. 773, S. B. 920, bill to amend section 3320 of The Code, relative to the powers and duties of the Governor, and that the House has appointed Mr. Winborne as a committee on the part of the House to meet with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust differences.

The President of the Senate appoints Senator Mason of Northampton, as committee on the part of the Senate on the above bills.

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is resumed.

H. B. 1961, S. B. 1607, bill relative to the Superior Courts for the county of Martin, being a supplemental act to H. B. 283, S. B. 44, ratified January 20, 1905, upon second reading.

The bill passes second and third readings and is ordered enrolled.

S. B. 1608, bill to amend chapter 380, Public Laws of 1903, and chapter 615, Public Laws 1901, entitled an act